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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 6/16/2023

Volume						
This Week	Last Reported	Last Year				
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Please Note: The above volumes (tonnage, acres, and bales) listed on this USDA LPGMN report are for confirmed trades only, it does not include estimated volume (tonnage) for bids or offers to the trade.

Although there was a few scattered rains over the last week amounts were generally only a couple of tenths and everything was isolated and patchy no matter what the amount was. There wasn't enough anywhere to reverse the current cycle of an increasing presence of drought each week. Near 91 percent of the state is now part of the drought monitor. Haying is in full swing now as farmers all across the state are trying to bale everything they can. Some areas are once again reporting army worm infestations. Hay interest and demand is good as many customers are trying to acquire hay in worry that supplies will get harder to come by if rains don't come. It should be noted there has been an uptick in cases of a few bad apples and attempted scams so all parties should be aware and if something seems fishy it probably is. The supply of hay is light and demand is moderate to good. Hay prices are steady to firm. The Missouri Department of Agriculture has a hay directory visit http://mda.mo.gov/abd/haydirectory/ for listings of hay http://agebb.missouri.edu/haylst/

N/A									
Hay (Conventional)									
Alfalfa - Supreme (Ask/	Per Ton)								
Medium Square 3x3	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 250.00-300.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - Supreme (Ask/Per Bale)									
Small Square	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 10.00-15.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - Premium (Ask/Per Ton)									
Medium Square 3x3	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 180.00-250.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>			
Alfalfa - Good (Ask/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 150.00-180.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - Good (Ask/Per Bale)									
Small Square	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 5.00-9.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			
Alfalfa - Fair (Ask/Per Ton)									
Large Round	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u> 125.00-150.00	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u> F.O.B.	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age			

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Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Good/Premium (Ask/Per Bale)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age		
Small Square		5.00-9.00		F.O.B.				
Mixed Grass - Good/Premium (Ask/Per Ton)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age		
Large Round		150.00-200.00		F.O.B.				
Mixed Grass - Fair/Good (Ask/Per Ton)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age		
Large Round		100.00-150.00		F.O.B.				
Mixed Grass - Fair/Good (Ask/Per Bale)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age		
Small Square		5.00-8.00		F.O.B.				
Mixed Grass - Fair (Ask/Per Bale)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age		
Large Round		50.00-100.00		F.O.B.				
Straw (Conventional)								
Wheat - (Ask/Per Bale)								
	<u>Qty</u>	Price Range	Wtd Avg	Freight/Use	<u>Description</u>	Crop Age		
Small Square		4.00-7.00		F.O.B.				

Click here for more information on Hay Quality Designation Guidelines

https://www.ams.usda.gov/sites/default/files/media/HayQualityGuidelines.pdf

Click here for Hay glossary of terms

https://www.ams.usda.gov/market-news/livestock-poultry-and-grain-hay-terms